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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Amendment No. 6 to Contract No. PR 8200  
with The Perkin-Elmer Corporation, Project OXCART

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in paragraph 6.

2. Contract No. PR-8200 with the subject contractor provides for engineering, design, production, test and delivery of six (6) Photographic Reconnaissance Systems in connection with the OXCART Program for a total estimated contract price [redacted]. This Amendment No. 6 has been drawn to allocate an additional [redacted] to the contract as a further installment on the total estimated contract price. The balance due on the present contract price after this installment is [redacted]. The present hold order on the last three (3) Photographic Systems and the affect thereof on the contract price is being negotiated with the contractor.

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3. Under Contract No. PR-8200 a total of [redacted] has been obligated as follows:

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This Amendment No. 6 obligates an additional [redacted] chargeable to Fiscal Year 1963 OXCART funds. This procurement action is included in the fund allocations set forth in Memorandum for the Record, OXC-3899, dated 10 September 1962 under Para. c., "Cameras - [redacted]". By concurrence to this memorandum the Comptroller signifies that this obligation has been noted and will be recorded upon availability of funds. This obligation supersedes the notice of additional funding under Contract No. PR-8200 given Perkin-Elmer Corporation by Message [redacted] dated 8 August 1962.

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4. The services and equipment being procured by this Amendment No. 6 are in furtherance of the OXCART Program, the nature of which cannot be publicly disclosed for security reasons. The undersigned Contracting Officer therefore determines that this procurement must be accomplished by negotiations pursuant to the authority of Section 3(a) of PL 81-110 and Class Determination and Finding, OXC-2122, signed by the DDCI on 25 October 1961.

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5. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956 which, in effect, results in all covert expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the Director. This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 8(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress (formerly 10(b) - see 85-507 dated 7/7/58) for each contract.

6. Concurrence in Amendment No. 6 to Contract No. PR-8200 is recommended.

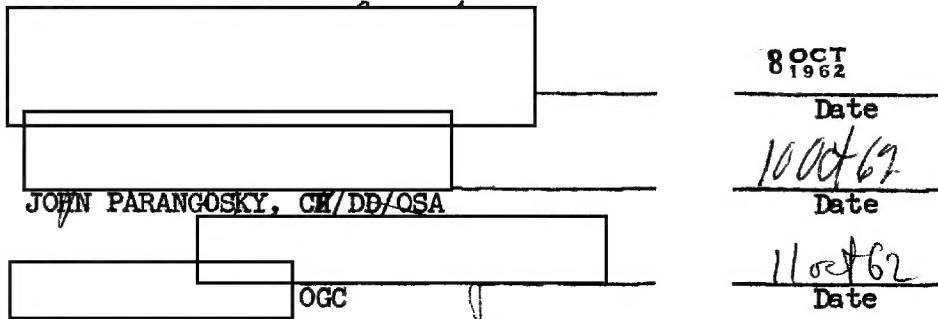
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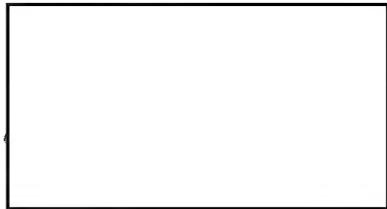
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